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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Joerg Vollrath et al.

Appln. No.: 09/967,008

Filed: September 28, 2001

For: MEMORY AND METHOD FOR  
EMPLOYING A CHECKSUM FOR  
ADDRESSES OF REPLACED STORAGE  
ELEMENTS

Examiner: Le, Dieu Minh T.

Art Unit: 2114

Attorney Docket No: 10808/203

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

## Attached is/are:

- ☒ Response and Amendment.  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

## Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small Entity.  
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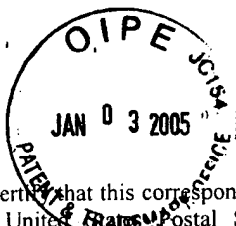
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Respectfully submitted,

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## RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated September 29, 2004. Applicants request favorable consideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 16 of this paper.